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SUBJECT: IAEA-EURATOM SAFEGUARDS

1. AT EC PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY, IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT THE

COMMISSION

OF THE EC HAS FINALIZED THE REGULATION IMPLEMENTING THE CONTROL

**MEASURE** 

FOR NUCLEAR SAFEGUARDS IN EURATOM PURSUANT TO THE IAEA-EURATOM SAFE-GUARDS AGREEMENT. THE COMMISSION WILL REQUEST APPROVAL OF THE REGULATION BY THE COUNCIL BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 1976.

2. ALTHOUGH THIS WAS A SIGNIFICANT MILESTONE, COUNCIL APPROVAL MUST STILL BE OBTAINED. EC SOURCES REMAIN CONFIDENT THAT THE REGULATION WILL

BE APPROVED PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1. PREVIOUS COMMISSION SUBMITTALS TO T

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COUNCIL HAVE BEEN IN THE FORM OF DRAFT REGULATIONS WHICH DID NOT

REQUIRE COUNCIL ACTION. THE PRESENT ACTION BY THE COMMISSION IS IN FINAL FORM AND ACCORDING TO SCHLEICHER, DG XVII, EURATOM SAFEGUARDS, IT IS NOW UP TO THE COUNCIL TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1. SCHLEICHER ALSO ADVISES THAT THE PROBLEMS WITH FRANCE HAVE NOT REPEAT NOT BEEN RESOLVED. HOWEVER, THE COUNCIL ACTION ON THIS REGULATION REQUIRES ONLY MAJORITY, NOT UNANIMOUS, VOTE TO APPROVE. SCHLEICHER WAS RELUCTANT TO RELEASE A COPY OF THE LATEST VERSION OF THE REGULATION, BUT ASSURED THAT IT IS THE SAME AS THE DRAFT OF JULY 14, 1976, PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED BY EC BRUSSELS 7081 EXCEPT FOR MINOR REVISIONS IN ARTICLE 7. HINTON

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